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Dear Teachers:

The new school year has begun, and we would like to let you know about the **FREE** environmental education programs available to your classes through Washita National Wildlife Refuge. We would be happy to come to your classroom and present a program for your students that would incorporate wildlife into your current curriculum. These programs are designed to go into the classroom when students are unable to go to the resource. Programs are about 1 hour long and involve discussion and activities. Some of the programs available are listed below. Additional programs can be tailored to fit your needs. **All programs are free of charge.**

Available programs (more details available upon request):

K - 1st Grade – Discovering Nature with Our Senses

2nd- 3rd Grade – Amazing Animal Adaptations

4th- 6th Grade - Clean Up – It's for the Birds!

7th -12th – Washita NWR, USFWS Careers Also available: Ornithology supplement to HS Zoology

We would like to assist you in any way possible to bring environmental education opportunities to your students. We can create programs especially for your class throughout the year, according to curriculum and student interests. Field trips to Washita NWR are also available in addition to classroom programs. For further information or to schedule a program for your class, please contact us at 580/664-2205, or via e-mail at Amber_Zimmerman@fws.gov. Please visit our website for more information about Washita NWR at http://washita.fws.gov.

Sincerely,

Amber Fimmerman

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